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SRI T. VISWANATHAM:—" Will the Hon. Minister for Rural Welfare enlighten the House as to what are the cottage industries which he proposes to introduce as a result of these recommendations?"

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO:—" I dare say if sufficient notice is given to my Hon. Colleague, he will satisfy the Opposition."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM:—" I am asking his Hon. Colleague."

MR. SPEAKER:—" But he is not here."

Reconstruction of Veeraparagrama tank anicut in Tirunelveli district.

* 784 *Q.*—SRI P. URKAVALAN: Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state— 9–10 a.m.

(*a*) whether the Government have taken up the reconstruction scheme of the Veeraparagrama tank anicut at Nikshabavanthi of Karivalamvandanallur village of Sankarankoil taluk of Tirunelveli district; and

(*b*) if so, what is its present stage and what is the cause for not yet completing the scheme?

THE HON. SRI N. RANGA REDDI:—" (*a*) & (*b*) A proposal to carry out improvements to the anicut as permanent remedial measures is under investigation by the Public Works Department."

Repairs to the road from Payyanur to Pallichal, North Malabar.

* 785 *Q.*—SRI K. P. GOPALAN: Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Administration be pleased to state when the repairing of the road from Payyanur to Pallichal in North Malabar will be completed?

THE HON. SRI N. SANKARA REDDI:—" The annual repairs to the road from Payyanur to Pallichal for 1952–53 have been completed."

Amount sanctioned for the Nellore district under the Five-Year Plan.

* 786 *Q.*—SRI B. RAMAKRISHNA REDDI: Will the Hon. the Chief Minister be pleased to state—

(*a*) the amount that has been sanctioned to the Nellore district under the Five-Year Plan; and

(*b*) the various works that are contemplated year by year?

THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI:—" (*a*) The Five-Year Plan is not drawn up districtwise and no specific amount is allocated to the Nellore district. Recently a sum of Rupees 1,29,100 has been allotted to this district from the grant of 40 lakhs made by the Government of India for the programme of local development.